

1-1 By: King of Hemphill, et al. H.B. No. 2825
 1-2 (Senate Sponsor - Seliger)
 1-3 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 6, 2013;
 1-4 May 7, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal
 1-5 Justice; May 17, 2013, reported adversely, with favorable
 1-6 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0;
 1-7 May 17, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-8 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			
1-16	X			

1-17 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 2825 By: Huffman

1-18 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-19 AN ACT

1-20 relating to the authority of a county to establish a centralized sex
 1-21 offender registration authority.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Article 62.0045, Code of Criminal Procedure, is
 1-24 amended to read as follows:

1-25 Art. 62.0045. CENTRALIZED REGISTRATION AUTHORITY. (a) The
 1-26 commissioners court of in a county ~~[with a population of 100,000~~
 1-27 ~~or more]~~ may designate the office of the sheriff of the county or
 1-28 may, through interlocal agreement, designate the office of a chief
 1-29 of police of a municipality in that county to serve as a mandatory
 1-30 countywide registration location for persons subject to this
 1-31 chapter.

1-32 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a
 1-33 person ~~[who is]~~ subject to this chapter is required to perform the
 1-34 registration and verification requirements of Articles ~~[shall~~
 1-35 ~~register under Article]~~ 62.051 and ~~[or verify registration under~~
 1-36 ~~Article]~~ 62.058 and the change of address requirements of Article
 1-37 62.055 only with respect to the centralized registration authority
 1-38 for the county, regardless of whether the person resides in any
 1-39 municipality located in that county. If the person resides in a
 1-40 municipality, and the local law enforcement authority in the
 1-41 municipality does not serve as the person's centralized
 1-42 registration authority, the centralized registration authority,
 1-43 not later than the third day after the date the person registers or
 1-44 verifies registration or changes address with that authority, shall
 1-45 provide to the local law enforcement authority in that municipality
 1-46 notice of the person's registration, ~~[or]~~ verification of
 1-47 registration, or change of address, as applicable, with the
 1-48 centralized registration authority.

1-49 (c) This section does not affect a person's duty to register
 1-50 with secondary sex offender registries under this chapter, such as
 1-51 those described by Articles 62.059 and 62.153.

1-52 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-53 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-54 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-55 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-56 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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